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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: HENRY L. MEI ET AL.) Examiner:
Serial No.: 09/843,603) Art Unit: 1714
Filing Date: APRIL 26, 2001)
For: MODIFIED SILANE TREATED) Date: February 13, 2002
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CHANGE OF CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS
U.S. PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE
WASHINGTON, DC 20231

DEAR SIR:

AS ASSIGNEE OF RECORD OF THE ENTIRE INTERESTS OF THE ABOVE-IDENTIFIED
PATENT APPLICATION, CROMPTON CORPORATION HEREBY APPOINTS THE FOLLOWING
PRACTITIONERS:

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JAMES LEWIS, REG. NO. 24,732

TO PROSECUTE THIS APPLICATION AND TO TRANSACT ALL BUSINESS IN THE PATENT AND
TRADEMARK OFFICE CONNECTED THEREWITH. I HEREBY AUTHORIZE THEM TO ACT AND
RELY ON INSTRUCTIONS FROM, AND TO COMMUNICATE DIRECTLY WITH, THE UNITED
STATES PATENT OFFICE, UNLESS I INSTRUCT THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
IN WRITING TO THE CONTRARY. EFFECTIVELY IMMEDIATELY, PLEASE ADDRESS ALL
FUTURE CORRESPONDENCE TO

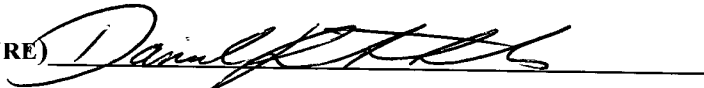
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